STAFF REPORT July 16, 2003

Applicant	Henderson Mental Health Center	
Request	Site Plan Level III Review/Parking Reduction/Non-residential over	
	10,000 s.f. in CB	
Location	330 SW 27 Avenue	
Legal Description	Acreage in Sec. 8-50-42, Portion of the west half of the Northeast	
	quarter	
Property Size	2.23 acres	
Zoning	B-2 and CB	
Existing Land Use	Mental Health Center	
Future Land Use	Commercial and Residential Medium-High	
<u>Designation</u>		
Comprehensive Plan	Consistent with Future Land Use Element, Permitted Uses in Commercial and Residential Medium-High	
Consistency	Final DRC sign-off	
Other Required	Filial DRC Sign-off	
Approvals Applicable ULDR	Sec. 47-6, Business Zoning Distric	ts: Sec 17-20.3 Reductions and
Sections	Exemptions; Sec. 47-24.2.A.3.c, Site plan development permit (Level	
Sections	III); Sec. 47-24.1, Table 1, Generally (Development Permits and	
	Procedures)	
Setbacks/Yards	Required	Proposed
Front	5'	61'4"
Rear	15'	15'
Side (South)	10' (B-2) and 15' (CB)	136'4"
Side (North)	15' (B-2) and 10'(CB)	178'8" (B-2) and 12' (CB)
Lot Density	None	N/A
Lot Size	None	2.23 acres
Lot Width	None	450'
Building Height	150'	65'1"
Structure Length	None	100'8"
Floor Area	None	0.7
VUA Landscaping	8,837 s.f.	8,837 s.f.
Landscaping Lot	N/A	24,221 s.f.
Coverage	27/1	27/1
Open Space	N/A	N/A
Parking	283 spaces	244 spaces (parking reduction requested)
Notification	Sign posting within 15 days of meeting	
Requirements	organ posting within 15 days of mooting	
Action Required	Approve, Approve with conditions or Deny the application	
Action Required	Name and Title Initials	
Project Planner	Project Planner Angela Csinsi, Planner II	
Chris Barton, AICP, RLA, Principal Planner		Planner
Authorized By	^	
13	Bruce Chatterton, AICP, Planning and Zoning Manager	
Approved By		

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Request:

The applicant proposes to demolish the existing three-story building on site and construct a five-story, 67,685 s.f. office building with a parking garage.

Property/Project Description:

This site received site plan approval with an allocation of flexibility in November 2000. In association with the site plan, a portion of the property was rezoned from MHP (Mobile Home Park) to CB (Community Business). In addition, a parking reduction was approved by the Planning and Zoning Board on September 20, 2000. No action was taken by the owners to construct the proposed building.

The site has split zoning of B-2 (General Business) and CB. The B-2 portion fronts on SW 27 Avenue while the CB portion is to the east, adjacent to an existing mobile home park (MHP).

On July 23, 2002, the Development Review Committee (DRC) reviewed proposed revisions to the site plan as well as revisions to the parking reduction application. The existing and proposed use of the site is for medical clinic/professional offices with patients meeting with therapists, psychiatrists and case managers for individual and group counseling

Parking and Traffic:

Previously, the combined existing and proposed buildings required 249 parking spaces and the plan provided 202 spaces. This was a 19% reduction (see **Exhibit 1** for copy of Parking Reduction Order). The current proposal requires 283 parking spaces with 245 spaces provided, which is a 13.4% reduction.

The applicant asserts that the previous parking study is sufficient to justify the 13.4% reduction. See **Exhibit 2** for a copy of the parking study. Tim Welch, Engineering Design Manager, agrees that this study is acceptable because it will be the same operation and because they are providing more parking spaces than the previous plan. See **Exhibit 3** for a breakdown of the proposed uses, required and provided parking.

Adequacy and Neighborhood Compatibility:

The applicant has provided two memorandums stating that they meet the criteria for adequacy and neighborhood compatibility (**Exhibit 4**). Staff concurs that these criteria have been met

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Comprehensive Plan Consistency:

The proposed uses of medical clinic/professional offices are consistent with the Permitted Uses listed in the Future Land Use Element of the Comprehensive Plan. Both Commercial and Residential Land Use allow for these uses. Properties with Residential Land Use allow office use provided that flexibility is allocated. This was done when the property was rezoned from MHP to CB in November 2000.

Staff Determination:

Staff recommends the following conditions:

- 1. Compliance with the City Construction Debris Mitigation Policy as attached.
- 2. Sanitary sewer agreement requires approval by Department and City Commission and shall be recorded in Broward County Records with City Officials Execution, prior to issuance of permit.
- 3. Owner to provide adequacy letter for sewer service from utility staff prior to release of building permit.
- 4. Relocation of turnaround space, as requested by Tim Welch, Engineering Design Manager.
- 5. Site plan approval shall be valid as provided in ULDR Section 47-24.1.M.
- 6. Final DRC approval.

Planning & Zoning Board Action:

- 1. If the Planning and Zoning Board determines that the proposed development or use meets the standards and requirements of the ULDR and criteria for site plan level III review, the Planning and Zoning Board shall approve or approve with conditions necessary to ensure compliance with the standards and requirements of the ULDR and criteria for the proposed development or use, the issuance of the site plan level III permit.
- 2. If the Planning and Zoning Board determines that the proposed development or use does not meet the standards and requirements of the ULDR and criteria for the proposed development or use, the Planning and Zoning Board shall deny the site plan level III permit.

City of Fort Lauderdale

Building Services Division Construction Debris Mitigation Policy

Section 24-11 Construction Sites, of the City of Fort Lauderdale Code of Ordinances is for the purpose of controlling construction debris. In accordance with the Code, any property under construction is required to contain construction debris on the subject property site. In an effort to ensure that construction debris does not spillover onto adjacent sites, the Building Services Division will require the following mitigation measures as minimum conditions to prevent the spillover of construction debris onto adjacent properties. These measures are to be included in a Construction Debris Mitigation Plan, which will be submitted to the Building Official, prior to the issuance of a building permit for the subject project. Additional measures may be required to ensure compliance with the Code, as deemed necessary by the Building Official.

- 1. Extermination of the site and buildings prior to demolition. A certificate certifying that the site has been exterminated is required to obtain a demolition permit.
- 2. Wet demolition of existing buildings is required to minimize dust.
- 3. Install and maintain a 6' screening (wind blown) on all ground level perimeter site fencing to minimize dust and debris blowing out to surrounding buildings.
- 4. Adherence to all state and county regulations with regards to the handling of asbestos in existing buildings.
- 5. Provide for construction employee parking and construction staging areas, to be reviewed and approved by the City's Engineering Department, and as necessary the City's Zoning and Parking Divisions.
- 6. The Building Division will require measures to minimize the airborne concrete when pouring. Such measures may include, but are not limited to, use of a wet saw when cutting concrete, wind screens around saws on concrete work deck; wind screens on end of concrete pump hose, etc.
- 7. The Building Division will require measures to minimize airborne debris from all open floors, including but not limited to, a requirement that each floor undergoing construction activity be wrapped to control the spillover of concrete and dust onto adjacent properties.
- 8. Sweeping compound will be required to minimize dust when sweeping the open floors of the building.
- 9. Broom cleaning of adjacent streets and sidewalks is required on a daily basis.
- 10. A hot line telephone number for the subject property is required to address issues as they arise.

On site visits by City Building Inspectors and other building officials will occur, as needed, to ensure that the concerns of adjacent property owners regarding construction debris and noise are being properly and timely addressed. The costs incurred for such inspections will be borne by the applicant.